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Part B for

SUBJECT.

Extension of the grant of Dearness Allowance to all the non-Gazetted Officers

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Representation dated 14-10-1943 from the Non-Gazetted Officers praying that the concession of dearness allowance be extended to officials drawing pay above Rs 50/- up to Rs 250/- p.m.

The representation speaks for itself regarding the necessity for the grant of relief by way of an allowance to all the officers drawing a pay in excess of Rs 50/- but not exceeding Rs 250/-

2) It may be seen from the file placed below that a similar request had been made by the Non-Gazetted officers on a former occasion, but its consideration was deferred at that time on grounds of finance. The financial position of the State has since improved.

3) In support of the request the Non-Gazetted Officers quote the relief that was allowed in 1920, when High Price Allowance were sanctioned to N.G.Os drawing higher pay also, subject to the condition that the pay + allowance should not exceed Rs 265/- That is,

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relief was abrogated to all the Non-Gazetted officers drawing a salary upto Rs 250/- p.m.

4) The Govt of Punjab appear to have sanctioned an allowance at 10% to all their clerical cadres drawing a salary of Rs 100/- and above but not exceeding Rs 250/- p.m.

5) Exact statistics regarding the number of posts in different scales of pay from Rs 81/- to 250/- are not and in different localities are not available. The information is, however, obtained from the office of the Comptroller that there are about 1800/- clerical cadres in the State in various grades of pay ranging from Rs 81/- to 250/-

6) The extra cost on this account may perhaps be ascertained from the Comptroller after a decision has arrived at as to the extent of relief is decided upon in the first instance.

7) The following statements are put up for reference:-

Statement showing the scales

g allowance sanctioned to the employees of the Civil Depts in Rgsm in 1943 & 1920 respectively

II Do sanctioned to the employees of the civil Depts but have, at Madras & the Punjab

III Do sanctioned to the Railway Employees of Rgsm, as well as the Railway Employees of other Railways.

Subal for orders

Ks 25/10 8.) A Memo to the Comptr is put up calling for information — File Secy. 25.10

Comptr approved 7/5 Comptr-Secretary U.O.W 25 Sus By 7.11

9.) A note is submitted for consideration and orders. The extra cost is worked out taking into account only the nongazetted appointments. I think, there need be no difference between gazetted and nongazetted posts in this respect.

DEWAN) 15/11/43

10.) I would fix the pay limit at Rs 150.

11.) The question of increasing the Dearness allowance of employees of the Iron works may be also considered

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Develpt. Secy and Ch. Secy W/C 12) 16/11/43 Next CL meeting 16/11 fix

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Extract from the Proceedings of the.....Forty.....Seventh.....*Meeting of the Council of Ministers held at Bangalore on*....9th....December.....1943 .

13) SUBJECT:--

Note regarding Dearness Allowances to officials drawing above Rs.80/- per mensem.

OPINION OF THE COUNCIL.

Dearness Allowance may be given to officials whose salaries range between Rs.80/- and Rs.150/- as follows:--

	Bangalore.	Other places.
Rs. 81 to 100 ..	.. 10/-	Rs. 8/-
Rs.101 to 150 ..	Rs. 12/8	Rs. 10/-

from 1st December 1943.

(Sd) N. MADHAVA RAU.
Dewan of Mysore.

Note:-

Marginal allowance to be continued as at present.

Financial Secretary
with compliments.

"EXTRACT"

Chief Secretary to Government.

Re: Dearness Allowance to Officials drawing above Rs 80/- p.m.

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14) D.S.R. is dealt as per instructions.

Note 13/12/43. 15) The grant of allowance to the employees of the Ry Depts also has been incorporated in the Subsidiary rules. This is for orders

(K. Devi)

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16) Rule is all right.

Hence rejection is invited to my note dt/ 15-11-43 (above & supra) wherein I have proposed that there need be no distinction between gazetted and non-gazetted officers regarding the extension of the grant of dearness allowance. The D.S.R. is sent up accordingly

Encl

14/12/43

Submitted to His Highness.

17) With the gracious approval of His Highness, the scales of dearness allowance to Government employees (both civil and Railways) were revised as follows with effect from 1st September 1943:-

Employees of the Civil Departments including Office Staff only of the Railway Department.

Locality.	Rate of allowance for those drawing a salary of Rs. 50 and below per mensem. Rs.	Rate of allowance for those drawing a salary in excess of Rs. 50 per mensem but not exceeding Rs. 80/- per mensem. Rs.
Bangalore City ...	7- 0- 0	9- 8- 0
Other places ...	5- 0- 0	7- 8- 0

Employees of the Railway Department excluding Office staff.

	Rs.
Those whose emoluments are Rs.120/- and below in Bangalore City including Malleswaram and Yeshavantapur	11- 8- 0
Those whose emoluments are Rs.120/- and below in Mysore City including Chamarajapuram, Mysore South and Workshop	10- 0- 0
Those whose emoluments are Rs. 100/- and below in other places	7- 8- 0

Representations have been made that non-gazetted employees drawing emoluments in excess of the above limits also be shown similar concession in view of the present high cost of living.

The subject was considered at a meeting of the Council of Ministers held on 9th December 1943 and after examining all aspects of the question, it was resolved that the grant of dearness allowance be extended to other low paid employees also (including Gazetted Officers) as follows:-

Employees of the Civil Departments including Office staff of the Railway Department.

Locality.	Those drawing salary above Rs.80 but not exceeding Rs.100/- per mensem. Rs.	Those drawing salary above Rs.100/- but not exceeding Rs. 150/- per mensem. Rs.
Bangalore City ...	10- 0- 0	12- 8- 0
Other places ...	8- 0- 0	10- 0- 0

The allowance will also be given to such of the employees as are drawing salary above Rs. 150/- but below Rs. 162-8-0 in Bangalore City and below Rs. 160/- in other places to the extent necessary to bring their total emoluments to Rs. 162-8-0 and Rs.160, respectively.

Employees of the Railway Department excluding Office staff.

Locality.	Those drawing salary above Rs.80/- but not exceeding Rs.100/- per mensem. Rs.	Those drawing salary above Rs.100/- but not exceeding Rs.150/- per mensem. Rs.
Bangalore City, (including Malleswaram and Yeshavantapur)	No change. (i.e.Rs.11-8-0 as at present).	12- 8- 0 (as against Rs.11-8-0 allowed at present to those drawing not more than Rs.120/- per mensem.)
Mysore City (including Chamarajapuram, Mysore South and Workshop)	No change. (i.e. Rs.10/- as at present).	10- 0- 0 (instead of up to Rs.120/- only as at present).
Other places ...	8- 0- 0 (instead of Rs.7-8-0 as at present).	10- 0- 0

The allowance may also be given to such of the employees as are drawing salary above Rs.150/- but below Rs.162-8-0 in Bangalore City (including Malleswaram and Yeshavantapur) and below Rs.160/- in other places to the extent necessary to bring their total emoluments to Rs.162-8-0 and Rs. 160/-, respectively.

These allowances are proposed to be given with effect from 1st December 1943 and the extra cost on this account which is expected to amount to about Rs. 1¼ lakhs will be met by an additional grant.

I solicit the gracious approval of His Highness to give effect to the above proposals.

M. Visvesvaraya

DEWAN.

Camp Mysore,

16th December 1943.

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

(18) Proposal to grant dearness allowance to employees of Government drawing salaries between Rs. 80/- and Rs. 150/- (including Gazetted Officers).

No. 450

Order.

(18) FN 17/P2/'43

General and Revenue

Secretariat.

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SUBJECT :—

Proposal to grant dearness allowance to employees of Government drawing salaries between Rs.80/- and Rs.150/- (including Gazetted Officers).

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14. All urgent or confidential files returned with His Highness' orders may, in the absence of instructions or indications to the contrary, be ordinarily circulated to the Ministers for perusal after the issue of orders.

16. The Secretaries concerned should see that orders in the cases referred to above are issued at once and that the files are returned immediately after, to the Chief Secretary for circulation to the Ministers.

17. In all other cases, the files will first be circulated to the Ministers at Headquarters and then sent to the Secretariat concerned for the issue of orders.

Circulated to Council of Ministers for perusal of His Highness' orders ~~before~~/after issue of orders. (*Vide* Rules 14, 16 and 17 of the Subsidiary Rules of the Mysore Government Business Rules.) (*)

M. Viraraja Urs

Chief Secretary to Government.

20) Issue orders and then Circulate

Through the Secretary to Government,

Financial....Department.

3740 / 21.12.43. Minister for Revenue and Law. 21.12

3784 / 22/12 Minister for Public Works. 22.12

4136 / 25.12.43 Minister for Local Self-Govt. and Public Health. 25.12.43

3463 / 22.12 Minister for Industries and Supplies. 23/12

4018 / 27/12 Minister for Education.

H. Siddiq.

NOTE.—Contn. sheet

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16631/1943 Grant of dearness allowance to officials & officers drawing a salary of less than Rs 80/- per mensem

21) If it is for orders whether the allowance may not be granted till the end of June 1944, as in the case of the employees drawing salary under Rs 80/- and below p.m.

22) Submitted with a draft for orders

No. 20/12/43 (H. Secy)

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24) Issue

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Issued No H 2556-2615 dated 20 December 1943.

25) Submitted for orders with reference to para 20.

No. 20/12/43 26) Asst Secy e B MOR 20/12

27) Circulation to the Ministers has been completed. (Vide previous page)

28) Submitted with reference to para 11, may the file be referred to the J & C Branch to take an extract of the Deputy's minute dated 16-11-43 para 11 — for necessary further action, if any to be taken, I return the file to this Branch?

No. 11/1/44 By 4/1/44 By 5/1 (J & C Br)

Yes. Extract taken & file returned

By 4/1 10/1/44 (J & C Br)

R.S.R. pl take extract of para 11 work up

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Confidential

Information may be kindly furnished immediately regarding the extra cost per month that may have to be incurred if the rates of Dearness Allowance are enhanced as under:-

CIVIL (including office staff of the Railway Department.)

Locality.	Class of Employees.	Existing rates Rs.	Revised rates as now proposed Rs.
1.Bangalore City.	(1) Those drawing Rs.50/- & below per mensem.	5 0 0	7 0 0
	(2)Those drawing above Rs.50/- but not exceeding Rs. 80/- per mensem.	7 0 0	9 8 0
2.Other places	(1) Those drawing Rs.50/- & below per mensem.	3 8 0	5 0 0
	(2) Those drawing above Rs.50/-but not exceeding Rs. 80/- per mensem.	5 8 0	7 8 0

NOTE. - This allowance will be given to such of the employees also as are drawing salaries above Rs. 80/- but below Rs. 89-8-0 in Bangalore City and below Rs. 87-8-0 in other places to the extent necessary to bring their total emoluments to Rs. 89-8-0 and Rs. 87-8-0 respectively.

RAILWAYS (excluding office staff).

1.Bangalore City including Malleswaram & Yesavantapur	Those drawing Rs. 120/- & below per mensem.	7 8 0	11 8 0
2.Mysore City including Chamarajapuram, Mysore South & Workshop	Those drawing Rs. 120/- and below per mensem.	6 8 0	10 0 0
3.Other places.	Those drawing Rs. 100/- and below per mensem.	5 0 0	7 8 0

To-day

23/9/42 CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, BANGALORE

(To-day) 23 SEP. 1942 301/SP SPECIAL SECTION

NOTE. - This allowance will be given to such of the employees also as are drawing salaries above Rs.120/- but less than Rs. 131-8-0 and Rs. 130/- respectively, in stations falling under (1) and (2) above, and above Rs. 100/- but less than Rs. 107-8-0 in stations falling under (3) above, to the extent necessary to bring their total emoluments to Rs. 131.8.0, Rs.130-0-0 & Rs. 107-8-0 respectively.

The favour of a reply before this evening is requested.

Comptroller, with compliments.

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276/Spl. d. 23.9.43.

U.O.No.Books 320 dated 23rd September 1943.

Returned with compliments.

The extra cost may be roughly taken to amount to Rs.43 lakhs per month (Rs.5 lakhs per annum) on the basis of actuals for July 1943 booked under 32 B.Expenditure connected with War 1939 and the increase in rates now proposed. In regard to Railways, however, the expenditure on account of dearness allowance is not separately shown in the General Books and as such the increase on this account in the Railway Department is not included in the total amount referred to above.

M Shamanna
Comptroller.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Comptroller's Office, Bangalore.

No. 337 Spl. *Dated the* 1st October *194*3

Rajasevaprasakta
M.Viraraja Urs Esq., B.A., B.L ,
Financial Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

Sir,

In continuation of U.O. No.320 dated 23-8-43, I have the honour to state that the extra cost on account of Dearness Allowance at the increased rates as proposed will work upto Rs.23,641/- per month in the case of both the office and executive staff of Mysore State Railway as per the information since received from the Auditor, Mysore State Railway.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M Shamanna
Comptroller.

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Memo of interview with the Dewan.

1. Cost of living has trebled. Rice has gone up from 8 seers to 3 seers a rupee. Ragi - 16 seers to 6 seers. Dhall - 6½ seers to 1¾ seers. Soji - 3½ annas to 10 annas a seer. Fuel - 7 mds. to 3 mds. a rupee. Charcoal - 15 annas to Rs.3-8-0 a bag. Butter - Rs.1-4-0 to Rs.4-12-0 a viss. Oil - 9 annas to Rs.1-8-0 a viss. Piecegoods 8 annas to Rs. 1-12-0 a yard.

2. Non-Gazetted Officers are generally indebted and even in normal times they could not save anything; hence they find it hard to meet their debt obligations now.

3. Higher pay is reached only at the fag-end of the service when they have heavy commitments such as large family, education of children, medical charges, marriages and other social obligations.

4. In 1918 when the State revenues were a little more than half of what it is now and prices of commodities were lower, relief was granted up to a pay of Rs. 250/-.

5. We belong to essential services and with the worries consequent on the increased cost of living, efficiency may suffer.

6. Non-Gazetted Officers who have fixed income have only to look to Government for relief unlike labourers and business men who get better return now.

7. Hence we request that the concession of dearness allowance may kindly be extended to officials drawing pay above Rs.80/- up to Rs. 250/-.

8. As an alternative, it is submitted that essential articles such as rice or ragi, dhall and fuel may be arranged to be supplied to the non-gazetted officers at pre-war rates.

To

The Dewan of Mysore,

M y s o r e.

Sir,

In view of the very acute and unprecedented condition of economic distress under which we are struggling through life, we the most humble and loyal servants of Government venture to submit this representation praying for suitable succour and relief.

We beg to represent that the cost of living of the salaried employees has gone up abnormally on account of scarcity of foodstuffs, the large influx of population in Bangalore in particular and the State in general, due to the military activities and other causes and the inflated value of money.

It may be said that the index number published by Government does not show such abnormal condition. It is represented that the index number now prepared is for the labourers - working class and that this index cannot be made applicable to the middle class salaried employee whose standard of living is on a higher level than that of the labourer. If a statistical survey about the cost of living of the middle class salaried employee - with special reference to Government servants - is made, the index number will be substantially larger in his case than in the case of the labourer, the reason being that several of the items, shown as stationary or which are not included in the case of the labourer, have gone up by more than 200% in the case of the middle class salaried employee.

Thus it is this middle class salaried employee, with not much elastic income, overburdened with heavy responsibilities, torn by financial worries and distractions, that is really hard pressed and it is practically impossible for him to go on without a deficit every month.

If the standard of living, in respect of the labourers and the middle class salaried employee, especially in the service of Government, is gauged it may safely be proved that the former is on a much better level than the latter.

Except those whose salary is paid out of the revenues of Government, every other salaried employee even up to Rs.300/- per mensem if not more, has got a substantial increase to his income in the shape of "dearness allowance".

Reference is also invited to the enclosed extract regarding the grant of allowance by the Punjab Government.

While being grateful to Government for the assistance they have rendered to those drawing a pay of Rs.80/- and below, the signatories to this representation feel that the exigencies of the times require the extension of the principle of the grant of dearness allowance and humbly and earnestly appeal to Government for the extension of this concession with effect from 1st September 1943 suitably to all the employees of Government up to Rs.250/- per mensem as was done in 1918 when, in spite of the prevalence of famine, pestilence etc., the condition of living was far better than it is now.

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We may be permitted to add that the extension of the principle as prayed for above will not involve Government in very appreciable extra cost as the number of such officials is about 1500 for the whole

whole State.

With sincere and deep gratitude,
We subscribe ourselves, Sir,
Your most obedient servants,

Camp, Mysore,
14th October 1943.

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The Civil & Military Gazette, Lahore, October 2, 1943.

MORE DEARNESS ALLOWANCE FOR GOVERNMENT SERVANTS.

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Simla, September 30. -- The Government of the Punjab have finally decided to give 10 per cent dearness allowance with retrospective effect from June 1, 1943, to all employees drawing a salary of between Rs. 100 and Rs. 250 per month.

For marginal adjustment, those drawing between Rs.100/- and 150/- per month, as salary will receive more than 10 per cent, so that they may equalise their allowances with those drawing less than Rs. 100/- P.M.

This decision does not affect all previous allowances, which are to remain in force. - U.P.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No. Fl. 4-63—S. &. A. 16-43-3, dated, Camp, Mysore, the 5th October 1943.

Dearness Allowance.

Sanctions enhanced rates of —— to certain whole-time employees of Government.

READ—

Government Order No. Fl. 2156-2215/S. & A. 136-42-1, dated 25th September 1942, sanctioning the grant of Dearness Allowance to certain whole-time employees of Government till the end of June 1943.

2. Government Order No. Fl. 327-390/S. & A. 16-43-2, dated 27th July 1943, sanctioning the continuance of the above rates of Dearness Allowance until further orders.

ORDER NO. FL. 4-63—S. & A. 16-43-3, DATED, CAMP, MYSORE, THE 5TH OCTOBER 1943.

In view of the increase in the cost of living on account of the further rise in the price of food-stuffs and other necessities of life, Government consider that a greater measure of relief than is afforded at present to the low-paid employees of Government is necessary.

They are accordingly pleased to direct that Dearness Allowance at the following enhanced rates be granted with effect from 1st September 1943 to end of June 1944, to the class of employees who come under the purview of the Government Order dated 25th September 1942 read above, the allowance being, however, limited to their pay or salary, in case the latter is less than the allowance.

	Locality	*Class of Employees*	*Rates of allowance per mensem* Rs. a. p.
1.	Bangalore City ...	(1) Those drawing a salary of Rs. 50 and below per mensem ...	7 0 0
		(2) Those drawing a salary in excess of Rs. 50 but not exceeding Rs. 80 per mensem.	9 8 0
2.	Other places ...	(1) Those drawing a salary of Rs. 50 and below per mensem ...	5 0 0
		(2) Those drawing a salary in excess of Rs. 50 but not exceeding Rs. 80 per mensem.	7 8 0

The allowance will also be allowed to such of the employees as are drawing a salary above Rs. 80 but below Rs. 89-8-0 in Bangalore City, and below Rs. 87-8-0 in other places, to the extent necessary to bring their total emoluments to Rs. 89-8-0 and Rs. 87-8-0 respectively.

The extra cost involved on this account will be met by an additional grant, a demand for which will be placed before the Legislative Council in due course.

M. VIRARAJA URS,
Secretary to Government,
Financial Department.

To—

The Comptroller to Government.
The Other Heads of Departments.
The Secretaries to Government.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
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The Press Table.

WD 4846—GBPM—60+190—6-10-43.

Rates of High Price allowance sanctioned from 1st July 1920.
(G.O.No.Fl.449-98/ S & A 23-20-1, dated 19th July 1920)

INFERIOR SERVICE.

Rates of Salary.	Allowance proposed.
Those in receipt of Rs 4 and Rs 5	An addition of 100% per mensem.
Those in receipt of salary above Rs 5 but not exceeding Rs 10.	Rs 5 each. "
Those in receipt of salary above Rs 10 but not exceeding Rs 15.	Rs 6 each "
Those in receipt of salary above Rs 15	Rs 7 each "

SUPERIOR SERVICE.

Rates of salary.	Allowance proposed.
Those in receipt of salary up to Rs 19	Rs 8 each per mensem.
Those in receipt of salary above Rs 19 and up to Rs 100 inclusive.	Rs 10 each per mensem.

The above increases are subject to the condition that the minimum emoluments in the case of those in the Bangalore and Mysore Cities will be Rs 12 and that in all other places Rs 10.

Rates of High Price allowance sanctioned to non-gazetted officers on salaries exceeding Rs 100 according to the following scale from 1st December 1920.

(G.O.No.Fl.3930-79 / S & A 23-20-31 dated 18th December 1920.

Rates of Salary.	Rates of Allowance sanctioned.
Those in receipt of salary above Rs 100 per mensem and not exceeding Rs 150 per mensem.	Rs 12-8-0 each per mensem.
Those in receipt of salary above Rs 150 per mensem and up to Rs 250 (inclusive)	Rs 15 each per mensem.

The maximum emoluments including the allowance sanctioned in this order should not exceed Rs 265 per mensem and in the case of those whose salary, exclusive of this allowance, is between Rs 250 and Rs 265, the allowance will be limited to the amount required to make up the maximum of Rs 265

Rates of High Price allowance sanctioned from 1st July 1920.
(G.O.No.Fl.449-98/S&A 23-20-1, dated 19th July 1920)

INFERIOR SERVICE.

Rates of Salary.	Allowance proposed.
Those in receipt of Rs 4 and Rs 5.	An addition of 100% per mensem.
Those in receipt of salary above ½ Rs 5/- but not exceeding ½ Rs 10	

Statement

RATES OF DEARNESS ALLOWANCE ALLOWED IN ~~BANGALORE~~ Mysore, MADRAS AND THE PUNJAB.

~~BANGALORE~~ Mysore.

1. Bangalore City.	(1)	Those drawing a salary of Rs. 50 and below per mensem.	7 0 0
	(2)	Those drawing a salary in excess of Rs. 50 but not exceeding Rs. 80 per mensem.	9 8 0
2. Other places.	(1)	Those drawing a salary of Rs. 50/- and below per mensem.	5 0 0
	(2)	Those drawing a salary in excess of Rs.50 but not exceeding Rs. 80/- per mensem.	7 8 0

MADRAS.

A. & B. Areas. (i.e., Madras, Coimbatore and places with population of 50,000 and above).	
(1) Those drawing below Rs.40/-	8 8 0
(2) Those drawing Rs. 40/- and above but not exceeding Rs. 125/-	11 0 0
C. Area.	
(1) Below Rs. 40/- ..	6 8 0
(2) Above Rs. 40/- but not exceeding Rs. 90/-. ..	9 0 0

PUNJAB.

All employees draing a salary of between Rs. 100 and Rs.250/- per month.	10%.

(For marginal adjustment, those drawing between Rs. 100/- and 150/- per month as salary will receive more than 10 per cent, so that they may equalise their allowances with those drawing less than Rs. 100 P.M.)

Statement No 111

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. No. Fl. 64-67—S. & A. 16-43-4, dated, Camp, Mysore, the 5th October 1943.

Dearness Allowance.

Sanctions enhanced rates of —— to certain employees of the Mysore State Railway.

READ—

Government Order No. R. S. 874-77/106—O. L. 42-43, dated 23rd September 1942 sanctioning the revised rates of Dearness Allowance to certain employees of the Mysore State Railway.

2. Government Order No. R. S. 403-06—Ry. F. 106—O. L. 43-44, dated 29th July 1943, sanctioning the continuance of the above rates of allowance to the said employees until further orders.

ORDER No. FL. 64-67—S. & A. 16-43-4, DATED, CAMP, MYSORE, THE 5TH OCTOBER 1943.

In view of the increased cost of living on account of the further rise in the prices of food-stuffs and other necessities of life, Government consider that a greater measure of relief than is afforded at present to the low-paid employees of Government is necessary.

They are accordingly pleased to direct that the following enhanced rates of allowance be granted with effect from 1st September 1943 to the end of June 1944 to the employees of the Mysore State Railway who come under the purview of the Government Order dated 23rd September 1942 read above, the allowance being, however, limited to their pay or salary, in case the latter is less than the allowance.

	Locality.	*Class of Employees.*	*Rates of allowance per mensem* Rs. a. p.
1.	Bangalore City including Malleswaram and Yesvantapur.	Those whose emoluments are Rs. 120 and below per mensem.	11 8 0
2.	Mysore City, including Chamarajapuram, Mysore South and Workshop.	Do do	10 0 0
3.	Other places	Those whose emoluments are Rs. 100 and less per mensem.	7 8 0

The allowance will also be allowed to such of the employees as are drawing salaries in excess of Rs. 120 but less than Rs. 131-8-0 and Rs. 130, respectively, in stations falling under items 1 and 2 above, and in excess of Rs. 100 but less than Rs. 107-8-0 in stations falling under item 3 above, to the extent necessary to bring their total emoluments to Rs. 131-8-0, Rs. 130-0-0, and Rs. 107-8-0, respectively.

The extra cost involved on this account will be met by an additional grant, a demand for which will be placed before the Legislative Council in due course.

M. VIRARAJA URS,
Secretary to Government,
Financial Department.

To—

The Comptroller to Government.
The General Manager, Mysore State Railway.
The Auditor, Mysore State Railway.
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WD 4345—GBPM—75—6-10-43

Rates of Dearness allowance sanctioned by the Government of India Railway Board in their Notification No. No.E.43DA18, New Delhi, the 16th March 1943, to the Railway officials. Sanctioned with effect from 1-2-1943

Area.	Pay limit.	Allowance.
"X"	Rs 200 p.m.	Rs 16 p.m.
"A"	Rs 175 p.m.	Rs 14 p.m
"B"	Rs 125p .m.	Rs 11 p.m
"C"	Rs 90 p.m	Rs 8 p.m.

Provided that those drawing more than the above-mentioned rates of pay but not more than Rs 216, Rs 189, Rs 136 and Rs 98 p.m respectively shall be eligible for an allowance which will bring their emoluments up to these amounts.

N.B.

(i) "X" area means the area comprising the Municipal limits of Bombay, Calcutta and Cawnpore and such of their suburbs as have been previously been included in "A" area.

(ii) "A" area means the area other than area "X" within the municipal limits of a city having a population of not less than 250,000 inhabitants according to the census of 1941 or an area specially sodeclared by the Governor General in Council.

(iii) "B" area means the area within the municipal limits of a town having a population of 50,000 or more but less than 250,000 inhabitants according to the census of 1941 or an area specially so declared by the Governor General in Council.

(iv) "C' area means areas not included in (i), (ii) and (iii) above.

please ed to give them a hearing, promised to consider the question

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We have no authoritative info regarding this. The enquiry may perhaps be brought to the Dewan's notice, informal

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The comptroller has been requested to furnish the figures

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ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ನಾನ್ ಗೆಜೆಟೆಡ್ ಆಫೀಸರುಗಳ ಸಂಘದ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಯವರ ನೇತೃತ್ವದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲವರು ಈ ಮಧ್ಯಾಹ್ನ ದಿವಾನರಾದ ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಶಿರೋಮಣಿ ಎಸ್. ಮಾಧವರಾಯರನ್ನು ಭೇಟಿ ಮಾಡಿದರು.

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The "Tainadu", 20-10-1943

The paper reports that the members of the non-gazetted officers' association in Bangalore interviewed the Dewan and requested him that, in view of the rise in the cost of living, the grant of dearness allowance may be made applicable to Government servants drawing salaries between 80 and 250 rupees and that the Dewan assured the deputation that he would consider the representation.

Submitted.
Deputy Secy.

No 21-10

Is this so?

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Subd.

It is ascertained that some members of the N.G.O. Association went on deputation to the Dewan at Mysore on the 18th instant to urge for the grant of dearness allowance also to Govt. Servants drawing Salaries up to Rs 250/- and that the Dewan who was

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Diary No. of letter replied to 1456

No. H. 1861

To

The Comptroller

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Sir,

Date of issue 6-11-1943

I am directed to invite reference to this office unofficial memo No 25/43 dated 1-11-43 calling for particulars regarding the number of employees etc in different scales of pay ranging from Rs 51/- to 250/- and to request that the above called for particulars may kindly be furnished very early.

Signed by

I have etc

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H Secy to Govt

I I CHIATE.

The Comptroller to Government is requested to furnish a statement in the following form, showing the number of non-gazetted officers in civil employ (separate figures being furnished for the Railways), in (i) Bangalore City and (ii) other places, and the total amount of salary drawn by them in a month :-

	Number	Total salary drawn.
1. Drawing above Rs.80, but not exceeding Rs.100/-.		
2. " above Rs.100, but not exceeding Rs.150.		
3. " above 150, but not exceeding Rs.250.		

By Order,

M. Viraraja Urs

Financial Secretary to Govt.

U.O.No.197/B.II dated 10th Nov.1943 & one statement.

Returned with compliments.

A statement containing the required information relating to the Revenue and Service heads as in the Budget except Railways and Industrial Concerns is sent herewith. Information pertaining to the Industrial Concerns (such as Iron Works, Soap Factory and Sandal Oil Factory etc) will be furnished separately. Under Debt heads the Mysore University and Record of Rights only are included. Particulars in respect of Railways will be furnished in a day or two.

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Comptroller

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Statement showing the number of Non-Gazetted Officers in Civil employ in (1) Banggalore City and (2) Other places and the total salary drawn by them

	Banggalore City		Other places	
	Number	Total Salary drawn	Number	Total Salary drawn
1. Drawing above Rs.80/- but not exceeding Rs.100/- ...	319	31,580	516	49,660
2. Drawing above Rs.100/ but not exceeding Rs.150/-	310	40,466	351	45,037
3. Drawing above Rs.150/- but not exceeding Rs.250/-	87	16,087	66	12,054
Total	716	88,133	933	1,06,751

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TRC/Totals.

H. Srinivasa Iyengar
Deputy Comptroller

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No. 455 / Exc Two

Comptroller's Office, Bangalore.

Dated the 11th November *194* 3.

The Financial Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

Sir,

In continuation of my U.O. reply No.404/Spl dated 10-11-43, I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of Railway Auditor's letter No.E.A./Mis./382 dated 10-11-43 together with a copy of the statement relating to Non-Gazetted appointments in the Railway Department carrying a pay of Rs.80/- to Rs.250/- in Bangalore City and other places.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Comptroller.

11.XI.43.

Letter No.E.A.Mis.382 dated 10-11-43 from the Auditor, Mysore State Railway, Mysore to the Comptroller in Mysore, Bangalore.

Re: The No. of Non-gazetted officers in Civil employ in Railways.

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With reference to your letter No.405/Spl dated 1st Novr.1943, re the above, I have the honour to furnish the required information as contained in the enclosed statement.

All Non-gazetted staff including station staff, shed staff and workshop employees have been included in arriving at the figures as detailed in the statement, the word "CIVIL" being understood to mean all Railway Civil employees as against Military, if any.

(Copy)

M C Varadachar
Superintendent
Special Section. 11/11

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Statement showing the number of Non-gazetted Civil employ in Railways-in Bangalore City and other places and the amount of salary drawn per month.

Name of Bills.	(1) Bangalore City. Above Rs.30/- but not exceeding Rs.100/- No.	Total salary Rs.	Above Rs.100/- but not exceeding Rs.150/- No.	Total salary Rs.	Above Rs.150/- but not exceeding Rs.250/- No.	Total salary. Rs.	Remarks.	(2) Other places. Name of Bills	Above Rs.30 but not exceeding Rs. Rs.100/- No.	Total salary Rs.	Above Rs.100/- but not exceeding Rs.150/- No.	Total salary. Rs.	Above Rs.150 but not exceeding Rs.250/- No.	Total salary Rs.	Remarks
1.Railway Secretariat.			2	290	..			1.Audit Office:	19	1775	3	1014	3	570	
2.Traffic Offices and Line - Staff:	10	957	10	1,327	..	.....		2.General Manager's "	2	135	..	..	..	..	
3.Loco. Offices	1	90	..	..				3.Loco. Supdt.,'s "	4	363	11	1235	3	625	
Running Staff.	1	100	3	378	6	1,166		4.Controller of Stores' "	1	90	1	105	..	..	
Shed.			4	453				5.Engineering .. "	1	95	1	140	..	..	
4.Engineering:- Offices etc.	3	275	..	..	..	..		ØOther staff	2	180	16	2225			
5.Medical.	..	..	2	210	..	..		6.Medical ..	..	..	5	520			
								7.Traffic Deptt. including Offices.	28	2433	10	1195	4	720	
								8.Loco.Staff: (a)Running Staff.	7	700	9	1078	3	526	
								(b) Shed Staff.	2	174	3	342	..	..	
								(c) Workshop Mysore South	19	1743	7	306	1	156	
Total:	15	1422	21	2658	6	1,166		Total	35	7798	71	8,710	14	2,497	

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The memorialists pray that in view of the abnormal-ly high cost of living obtaining at present, dearness allowance may be extended to officials drawing pay above Rs. 80/- per mensem up to Rs. 250 per mensem, or in the alternative, essential articles such as rice, ragi, dhall and fuel be arranged to be supplied to non-gazetted officers at proper rates.

There is some force in the representation. As the scheme of supply of essential articles is not a feasible one, the grant of relief in the shape of an allowance only need perhaps be considered.

In 1920, when the conditions were not so bad as at present, the following rates of high price allowance were allowed in this State:-

Those in receipt of salary up to Rs. 100	Rs. 10 p.m.
Those in receipt of salary above Rs. 100 but not exceeding Rs. 150 per mensem.	12/8 "
Those in receipt of salary above Rs. 150 per mensem but not exceeding Rs. 250 per mensem.	15/- "

The following is the scale of dearness allowance now sanctioned in this State:-

	Those drawing a salary of Rs.50 and below per mensem.	Those drawing a salary in excess of Rs. 50 p.m.but not exceeding Rs. 80 p.m.
Bangalore City.	Rs. 7-0-0	9-8-0
Other places.	5- 0- 0	7-8-0

In the case of Railway employees(excluding Office staff) a different scale is sanctioned as noted below:--

Those whose emoluments are Rs.120 and below in Bangalore City including Malleswaram and Yeshavantpur.	Rs.11/8

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Those whose emoluments are Rs.120 and below p.m. in Mysore City including Chamarajapuram, Mysore South and Workshop. Rs. 10-0-0

Those whose emoluments are Rs.100 and less per mensem in other places. Rs. 7- 8- 0

The scales of dearness allowance sanctioned by the Governments of Madras and Punjab are noted in the statement (flagged "R") It is seen therefrom that the allowance is granted in Madras to officials drawing not more than Rs.125/-. In Punjab, the allowance is stated to have been sanctioned to those drawing salaries up to Rs. 250/-.

Information has been obtained from the Comptroller as to the number of non-gazetted appointments in the several stages above Rs. 80/- but not above Rs.250/- in Bangalore City and other places. (Vide: flags P & B).

To enable Government to come to a decision, the following information is furnished. The extra cost is worked out on the assumption that the allowance if any, will be granted only from 1st November 1943.

On the basis of rates already sanctioned.	Extra cost during 1943-44.
i) If the higher rates of dearness allowance already sanctioned between Rs. 50 and Rs. 80 are extended up to Rs. 100 (inclusive).	53,764/-
ii) If those rates are extended up to Rs. 150 (inclusive)	97,930/-
iii) If those rates are extended up to Rs. 250/- (inclusive)	1,08,318/-

On a slightly different basis.	
i) If the higher rates of dearness allowance sanctioned between Rs. 50 and 80 are extended up to Rs. 100 (inclusive) and an allowance of 10 per cent and 7½ per cent of salary for Bangalore City and other places, respectively, is allowed above Rs. 100 but not above Rs. 150.	1,12,168/-
ii) If the upper limit is raised to Rs. 250 instead of Rs. 150 as above.	1,31,884/-

N.B. In the Railway Department, some of the employees in receipt of pay up to Rs. 100 and Rs.120 are already in

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in receipt of an allowance. The extra cost will be slightly less, if that is taken into consideration.

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NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

R e a d:-

Government Order No. Fl. 4-65/S.& A. 16-43-3 dated, Camp, Mysore, the 5th October 1943, sanctioning the enhanced rates of Dearness Allowance to certain wholetime employees of Government including office staff only of the Railway Department till the end of June 1944.

2. Government Order No. Fl. 64-67/S.& A. 16-43-4 dated Camp, Mysore, 5th October 1943, sanctioning the enhanced rates of Dearness Allowance to certain employees of the Railway Department.

3. Representation dated 14th October 1943 from the non-gazetted officers, praying that the concession of the grant of Dearness Allowance be extended to officers in receipt of salaries in excess of Rs 80/- per mensem.

ORDER NO. Fl. 2556-2615/S.& A. 16-43-7,

Dated, Bangalore, the 20th December 1943.

Government are pleased to direct that the whole-time employees of Government, including the gazetted officers, of the classes noted below, who are in receipt of salary in excess of Rs 80/- per mensem be also granted Dearness Allowance with effect from 1st December 1943 till the end of June 1944 at the following scales:-

I. EMPLOYEES OF THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT INCLUDING OFFICE STAFF OF THE RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

Locality.	Class of Employees.	Rates of allowance per mensem.
1. BANGALORE CITY.	(i) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs 80/- but not exceeding Rs 100/- per mensem.	.. Rs 10- 0- 0
	(ii) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs 100/- but not exceeding Rs 150/- per mensem.	.. Rs 12- 8- 0
2. OTHER PLACES.	(i) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs 80/- but not exceeding Rs 100/- per mensem.	.. Rs 8- 0- 0
	(ii) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs 100/- but not exceeding Rs 150/- per mensem.	.. Rs 10- 0- 0

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The allowance will also be given to such of the employees as are drawing salary in excess of Rs 150/- but not in excess of Rs 162-8-0 in Bangalore City and not s in excess of Rs 160/- in other places, to the extent necessary to bring their total emoluments to Rs 162-8-0 and Rs 160/- respectively.

II. EMPLOYEES OF THE RAILWAY DEPARTMENT EXCLUDING THE OFFICE STAFF.

	Locality.		Class of Employees.	Rates of allowance per mensem.
1.	BANGALORE CITY (including Malleswaram and Yesavantapur.	(i)	Those drawing salary in excess of Rs 80/- but not exceeding Rs 100/- per mensem.	Rs 11- 8- 0 as at present.
		(ii)	Those drawing salary in excess of Rs 100/- but not exceeding Rs 150/- per mensem.	Rs 12- 8- 0.
2.	MYSORE CITY (including Chamarajapuram, Mysore South and Workshop).	(i)	Those drawing salary in excess of Rs 80/- but not exceeding Rs 100/- per mensem.	Rs 10- 0- 0 as at present.
		(ii)	Those drawing salary in excess of Rs 100/- but not exceeding Rs 150/- per mensem.	Rs 10- 0- 0.
3.	OTHER PLACES.	(i)	Those drawing salary in excess of Rs 80/- but not exceeding Rs 100/- per mensem.	Rs 8- 0- 0.
		(ii)	Those drawing salary in excess of Rs 100/- but not exceeding Rs 150/- per mensem.	Rs 10- 0- 0.

The allowance will also be given to such of the employees as are drawing salary in excess of Rs 150/- but not in excess of Rs 162-8-0 in Bangalore City (including Malleswaram and Yesavantapur,) and below Rs 160/- in other places, to the extent necessary to bring their total emoluments to Rs 162-8-0 and Rs 160/- respectively.

The extra cost on this account will be met by an additional grant, a demand for which will be placed before the Legislative Council in due course.

M. Rama Rao

for FINANCIAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Comptroller.
The other Heads of Departments.
The Secretaries to Government.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
The Compiler, Mysore Gazette.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Read:-

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2. G.O. No. Fl. 64-67/S. & A. 16-43-4 dated Camp, Mysore, 5th October 1943, sanctioning the enhanced rates of Dearness Allowance to certain employees of the Railway Department.

3. Representation dated 14th October 1943 from the non-gazetted officers, praying that the concession of the grant of Dearness Allowance be extended to officers in receipt of salaries in excess of Rs. 80/-, per mensem.

Order No. Fl. 2556-2615/S & A 16-43-7 Dated, 20th Decr. 1943.

Government are pleased to direct that the whole-time employees of Government (including Gazetted officers) of the classes noted below who are in receipt of salary in excess of Rs. 80/- P.M. be also granted Dearness Allowance with effect from 1st December 1943, till the end of June 1944 at the following scales:-

for two years.

Employees of the Civil Department including office staff of the Railway Department.

Locality.	Class of Employees.	Rates of allowance per mensem. Rs.
1. Bangalore City	(i) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs. 80/- but not exceeding Rs.100/- per mensem.	10-0-0 .
	(ii) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs. 100/- but not exceeding Rs.150/- per mensem.	12-8-0 .
2. Other places.	(i) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs. 80/- but not exceeding Rs.100/- per mensem.	8-0-0 .
	(ii) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs. 100/- but not exceeding Rs.150/- per mensem.	10-0-0

The Allowance will also be given to such of the employees as are drawing salary in excess of Rs.150/- but not in excess of Rs. 162-8-0 in Bangalore City & and not in excess of Rs. 160/- in other places to the extent necessary to bring their total emoluments to Rs. 162-8-0 & Rs. 160/- respectively.

12. Employees of the Railway Department excluding the office staff.

Locality.	Class of Employees.	Rates of allowa per mensem.
Bangalore City (including Malleswaram and Yesavantapur)	(1) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs.80/- but not exceeding Rs. 100/- P.M.	Rs. 11-8-0 (as present
	(2) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs. 100 but not exceeding Rs. 150/- P.M.	12-8-0
Mysore City (including Chamarajapuram, Mysore South & Workshop.	(1) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs. 80/- but not exceeding Rs. 100/- P.M.	10-0-0 (as present
	(2) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs. 100/- but not exceeding Rs. 150/- P.M.	10-0-0
Other places.	(1) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs. 80/- but not exceeding Rs. 100/-	8-0-0
	(2) Those drawing salary in excess of Rs. 100/- but not exceeding Rs. 150/- per mensem.	10-0-0

The allowance will also be given to such of the employees as are drawing salary in excess of Rs. 150/- but not in excess of Rs. 162-8-0 in Bangalore City (including Malleswaram & Yesavantapur,) and below Rs.160/- in other places, to the extent necessary to bring their total emoluments to Rs. 162-8-0 and Rs.160/- respectively.

The extra cost on this account will be met by an additional grant, a demand for which will be placed before the Legislative Council in due course.

Financial Secretary to Government.

To (1) The Comptroller (2) The Secretary (3) The Comptroller [illegible]
The Chief Engineering Staff (4) The C.E., [illegible] (5) The Comptroller [illegible]
(6) The Personal Assistant